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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

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 NETWORK TO AT LEAST ONE OTHER NETWORK
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CORRECTION TO APPEAL BRIEF

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office communication dated 31 August 2010, which objected to the Summary of Claimed Subject Matter which was included in the Appeal Brief filed on 24 August 2010.

The Appellants hereby submit this corrected Summary of Claimed Subject Matter, which is to be substituted for the Summary of Claimed Subject Matter which was included in the Appeal Brief filed on 24 August 2010.

Summary of Claimed Subject Matter

The following sets forth independent Claim 10, with parenthesized references to the instant specification and drawing:

10. Device for connecting a centralized wireless network (201, page 4, line 12) to at least one other network (207, page 4, line 13), said device being a wireless station compliant to the IEEE 802.11 or Hiperlan2 standards (page 3, line 36 to page 4, line 5), and further comprising:

- a wireless interface (203, page 4, lines 24-27) for managing more than one MAC address for association with an access point of said centralized wireless network, wherein said associations are as defined by the IEEE 802.11 or Hiperlan2 standards (page 3, line 36 to page 4, line 3);
- a bridge module (301, page 5, lines 8-9) for managing a plurality of ports for connecting to respective networks; and
- a link management module (302, page 5, line 11) for managing associations of different MAC addresses corresponding to devices connected to said at least one other network with said access point of said centralized wireless network such that said devices connected to said at least one other network will appear as wireless stations to the access point (page 4, lines 33-35).

Remarks/Arguments

The attached corrected Summary of Claimed Subject Matter completes the Appeal Brief filed on 24 August 2010. The Appellants submit that the instant Application is now in condition for consideration by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences.

Respectfully submitted,

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